Notification No. 4363—*C. S.* 24, *dated* 12*th February* 1918.

A Conference of the Co-operative Societies in the Kolar District will be held at Kolar on the 22nd February 1918. All the societies in the District are requested to send delegates to the Conference with brief reports on the working of the societies.

The following subjects will be discussed at the Conference :—

(1) Duties of the Panchayet and office-bearers of Co-operative Societies and the necessity for their training.
(2) Enquiry into the indebtedness of members of Co-operative Societies.
(3) Principles of loans and cash credits.
(4) Recovery of overdue loans from members of Co-operative Societies.
(5) Honorary Supervisors for Co-operative Societies.
(6) Grain Banks.
(7) Co-operative Store Societies.
(8) Development of industrial and agricultural co-operation.
(9) Co-operation and village improvement.
(10) Any other subject of importance that may be brought up at the Conference.

Notification No. 4368—*C. S.* 24, *dated* 12*th February* 1918.

The Bangalore District Co-operative Conference will be held at Bangalore, from 8 to 11 A.M., on Wednesday the 6th March 1918. All the Co-operative Societies in the district are requested to send their delegates and visitors to the Conference. The following subjects will be discussed at the Conference :—

1. Principles of loans and cash credits.
2. Duties of Committee Members and Office-bearers of Co-operative Societies and and the necessity for their training.
3. Development of Agricultural Co-operation.
4. Development of Industrial Co-operation.
5. Inquiry into the indebtedness of members of Co-operative Societies.
6. Improvement in the working of Co-operative Stores.
7. Co-operative Grain Banks.
8. Any other subject of importance that may be brought up at the Conference.

R. RANGA RAO,
Registrar in charge.

ELECTRICAL DEPARTMENT.

Notice dated 30*th January* 1918.

A sum of Rs. 135-10-0 due to Contractors Bathala Kondaboyee, Nagaboyee and Pitchoboyee for improving the channels at Sivasamudram is outstanding in the accounts of this Department. If the parties do not claim the above amount within one month from this date, the same will be credited to Government.

S. G. FORBES,
Chief Electrical Engineer to the Government of Mysore.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF EDUCATION.

Notification D. No. *dated* 10*th January* 1918.

The Officiating Inspector-General will be glad to see Government Officers, visitors and other gentlemen on business at his office on every Thursday, not being a Gazetted holiday, between the hours of 12 noon and 4 P.M.

During his absence on tour from Headquarters, the Deputy Inspector-General of Education or the Assistant to the Inspector-General of Education, will receive visitors and attend to them.

Notification D. No. 63, *dated* 31*st January* 1918.

"Books on Black-Board Drawing and Chalk Drill" in three parts are recommended for the use of teachers and pupils under training of the Lower Secondary Grade. The prices of the three parts of the book are 0-1-3, 0-1-6 and 0-2-0 respectively. The books can be had of the author, Sessional School, Tiruvadamarudur, Tanjore District.

Notification D. No. 67, dated 7th February 1918.

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE TECHNICAL EXAMINATIONS—COMMERCIAL BRANCH.

The Commercial Examinations will be held at the centres of Bangalore and Mysore in the order of time and subjects noted below :—

Day	Hour	Subject	Grade	Nature of Question papers	Max. marks
Monday 8th April 1918.	10 A.M. to 10-15 A.M.	Shorthand ...	Elementary ...	I Paper, Dictation ...	100
	10-20 A.M. to 11-50 A.M.	Do ...	Do ...	Do Transcription.	
	10-20 A.M. to 10-30 A.M.	Do ...	Intermediate ...	Do Dictation ...	60
	10-35 A.M., to 12-20 P.M.	Do ...	Do ...	Do Transcription	
	10-35 A.M. to 10-45 A.M.	Do ...	Advanced ...	Do Dictation ...	80
	10-45 A.M. to 1-15 P.M.	Do ...	Do ...	Do Transcription	
	1-30 P.M. to 3-30 P.M.	Do ...	Intermediate ...	II Paper, Dictation and Elaboration.	60
	2 P.M. to 5 P.M. ...	Do ...	Advanced ...	Do do ...	100
	3-35 P.M. to 4-35 P.M.	Do ...	Elementary ...	Do Principles ...	50
	3-35 P.M. to 4-35 P.M.	Do ...	Intermediate ...	III Paper do ...	30
Tuesday the 9th April 1918.	10 A.M. to 10-20 A.M.	Do ...	Advanced ...	Do Dictation ...	80
	10-25 A.M. to 12-25 P.M.	Do ...	Do ...	Do Condensation of notes.	
	12-30 P.M. to 12-45 P.M.	Do ...	Do ...	IV Paper, Vernacular Dictation.	40
	12-50 P.M. to 1-50 P.M.	Do ...	Do ...	Do Transcription...	
	2-30 P.M. to 5-30 P.M.	Book-keeping ...	Do ...	I Paper, Principles ...	100
Wednesday the 10th April 1918.	10 A.M. to 1 P.M. ...	Do ...	Do ...	II Paper, Exercises ...	100
	10 A.M. to 1 P.M. ...	Do ...	Intermediate ...	I Paper, Principles ...	50
	10 A.M. to 11 A.M.	Do ...	Elementary ...	Do do ...	50
	11-5 A.M. to 1-5 P.M.	Do ...	Do ...	II Paper, Exercises ...	100
	2 P.M. to 5 P.M. ...	Do ...	Intermediate ...	Do do ...	100
	2 P.M. to 5 P.M. ...	Do ...	Advanced ...	III Paper do ...	100
Thursday the 11th April 1918.	8 A.M. to 1 P.M. ...	Type-writing ...	All grades ...	Speed test { Elementary / Intermediate / Advanced	40 / 40 / 80
Monday the 15th April 1918.	7 A.M. to 6 P.M. ...	Do ...	Do ...	Second paper { Elementary / Intermediate / Advanced	80 / 80 / 160
Tuesday the 16th April 1918.	10 A.M. to 1 P.M. ...	Correspondence ...	Advanced ...	I Paper, Correspondence, Index and precis writing, Secretariat work.	100
	10 A.M. to 1 P.M. ...	Do ...	Intermediate ...	I Paper ...	100
	10 A.M. to 12 noon	Do ...	Elementary ...	Do ...	75
	2 P.M. to 5 P.M. ...	Do ...	Advanced ...	II Paper, Commercial Practice.	90
	2 P.M. to 5 P.M. ...	Do ...	Intermediate ...	Do ...	50
	2 P.M. to 3 P.M. ...	Do ...	Elementary ...	Do ...	75
Wednesday the 17th April 1918.	7 A.M. to 10 A.M. ...	Do ...	Advanced ...	III Paper, Commercial Law.	90
Thursday the 18th April 1918.	10 A.M. to 1 P.M. ...	Banking ...	Do ...	I Paper, Banking ...	100
	10 A.M. to 12 noon	Do ...	Intermediate ...	Do ...	50
	10 A.M. to 1 P.M. ...	Do ...	Elementary ...	Do ...	100
	2 P.M. to 5 P.M. ...	Do ...	Advanced ...	II Paper, Economics ...	100
	2 P.M. to 5 P.M. ...	Political Economy	Intermediate ...	I Paper, do ...	150
	2 P.M. to 4 P.M. ...	Do ...	Elementary ...	Do do ...	50
Saturday the 20th April 1918.	10 A.M. to 1 P.M. ...	Banking ...	Advanced ...	III Paper, Statistics ...	100
	10 A.M. to 1 P.M. ...	Political Economy	Intermediate ...	II Paper, do ...	75
	2 P.M. to 4 P.M. ...	Banking ...	Do ...	II Paper	50
Monday the 22nd April 1918.	10 A.M. to 1 P.M. ...	Commercial Geography.	Do ...	I Paper	100
	10 A.M. to 12 noon	Do ...	Elementary ...	Do	75
	12-5 P.M. to 1-5 P.M.	Do ...	Do ...	II Paper	25
	2 P.M. to 4 P.M. ...	Do ...	Intermediate ...	Do	50

Candidates will be examined in type-writing in batches. As many candidates as can provide their own machines and as can be accommodated, will be examined in each batch.

Detailed time-tables, as to the exact period during which each batch will be examined in type-writing, will be published by the Chief Superintendent at each centre, at least a fortnight before the date of the examination.

The Oral and Practical Examination in type-writing will be held after the written examination results are announced. The place and the hour will be duly notified.

The Oral Examination in correspondence of the advanced grade will be held in April. The date and the hour will be intimated later on.

Notification D. No. 68, *dated* 11*th February* 1918.

The following Text Books on History are prescribed for the High School Forms of 1918-19 :—

FOR THE PUBLIC EXAMINATION OF 1919.

A. History of India—(*i*) *For General Outline.*

The Oxford Students' History of India, by V. A. Smith, (Oxford University Press).

(*ii*) *For special period* :—

History of India, the British period, by E. W. Thompson, M.A., (Christian Literature Society).

B :—History of England.—A History of Great Britain, Book II, by T. F. Tout (Longman's Historical Series for Schools).

(*N.B.*—A knowledge of the Historical Geography of India and of Great Britain is expected.)

For the IV Form of 1918-1919.

First Book of British History, by T. F. Tout, Book I (Longman's Historical Series for Schools).

For the V Form of 1918-1919.

A Brief Survey of British History, by G. Townsend Warner, (Blackie & Son, London).

C. R. REDDY,
Offg. Inspector-General of Education.

MUZRAI DEPARTMENT.

SHIMOGA DISTRICT.

Notification dated——*January* 1918.

Under Rule 1 of the rules framed under Section 15 of the Mysore Muzrai Regulation, VI of 1913, the undermentioned gentlemen are appointed as Dharmadarsis for a period of five years to supervise the affairs of the Sri Bhavani Shankara Devaru temple at Humchadakatte, Tirthahalli Taluk :—

(1) Mr. H. S. Subba Rao, (2) Mr. Kodi Adivappa Setti, (3) Mr. Humchada Appanna Jois, 4. Mr. Sannappa, patel of Vimagorsu, 5. Mr. K. Subba Rao, Shanbhog.

B. BHIMA RAO,
For *Deputy Commissioner.*

MYSORE STATE RAILWAYS.

OFFICE OF THE AGENT AND SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE FOR RAILWAYS.

Notice dated 16*th July* 1917.

The Ag. Agent and Secretary for Railways, Government of Mysore, will be glad to see visitors and other gentlemen on business at his office on every Thursday, not being a Gazetted holiday, between the hours of 2 and 5 P.M.

2. Government officers of all departments having any business may call between 12 noon and 2 P.M. the same day.

3. During the absence of the Ag. Agent and Secretary on tour from headquarters, the Deputy Agent and Under-Secretary will receive visitors and attend to them.

4. Special engagements may be made by previous arrangements with the Ag. Agent and Secretary.

D. G. DANI,
Ag. Secretary for Railways,
Government of Mysore.